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SUBJECT: INDONESIA SEEKS GPOI FUNDING FOR PLANNED  
INDONESIAN CENTERS

REF: A. STATE 102385

[1](#)B. JAKARTA 08179 (INDONESIA RESPONSIVE TO GPOI  
PARTNERSHIP PROPOSAL)

Classified By: Political Officer Daniel Turnbull, for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

[1](#)1. (C) Summary: Officials at the Indonesian Department of Foreign Affairs have confirmed Indonesia's interest in participating in the Global Peace Operations Initiative (GPOI) and have asked whether GPOI funding could be used to support a national PKO center Indonesia is creating to train its military and police in peacekeeping operations. Department's guidance is requested in paragraph 4. End Summary.

[1](#)2. (C) Ref b reported GOI interest in GPOI ahead of an interagency discussion in response to USG query in ref a. We followed up with Hasan Kleib, Director for International Security and Disarmament Affairs at the Indonesian Department of Foreign Affairs (DEPLU), on October 10. Kleib reaffirmed GOI interest in participation and then described plans to establish a National Peacekeeping Center for training of peacekeepers and coordination of Indonesian PKO activities. Kleib said the plan had the formal support of DEPLU, the Department of Defense (DEPHAN), the Indonesian Armed Forces (TNI) and the Indonesian National Police. The center would encompass two facilities, one each at the military and police headquarters, and would be coordinated by DEPLU. The plan still needed the assent of the Coordinating Minister for Political, Legal and Security Affairs before being sent to the President for approval. The center was to be directed by a former commander of Indonesian peacekeeping forces in Bosnia.

[1](#)3. (C) Kleib said GOI hoped to be able to obtain GPOI assistance for the launching and operation of the center, which would use the "train the trainer" approach. By using domestically located facilities, he said, Indonesia could train a larger number of troops in PKO. The objective would be to create a permanent Standby Force which met UN standards and could be deployed as needed.

[1](#)4. (C) Embassy requests Department's guidance regarding the availability and terms of assistance for the proposed Indonesian center.  
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